

NOTICE OF MEPA REMOTE CONSULTATION SESSION/VIDEO CONFERENCE

EEA No. 16311 Aries Taunton Biosolids Gasification Project, Taunton

Project Description: An Environmental Notification Form (ENF) has been filed with the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EEA) Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act (MEPA) Office by the Aries Taunton LLC to develop a biosolids gasification facility at 360 East Britannia Street, adjacent to the City of Taunton Landfill. The facility will accept municipal biosolids by truck, and use fluidized bed gasification and a closed-loop heating system to convert the biosolids to biochar as a product. The project exceeds MEPA review thresholds for processing of sewage sludge and discharge of wastewater and requires that a public consultation session be held in accordance with 310 CMR 11.03 (5)(a)(6) and 310 CMR 11.06 (2).

The public consultation session will be held by video conference to receive advice and comments from agencies, officials, and citizens regarding which environmental issues, if any, are significant for this project. Opinions as to the extent and significance of possible environmental impact will be welcome.

MEPA Video Conference/Consultation Session scheduled for: Tuesday January 19, 2020 at 7:00 PM

Please RSVP to alexander.stryisky@mass.gov at least one hour prior to the meeting for instructions on how to join the video conference or call in by phone

MEPA comments due on or before: January 26, 2021

Certificate due: February 5, 2021

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